

JACL Membership Drive To Begin

Butte Chapter Japanese American Citizens League will launch a camp-wide membership and Pacific Citizen subscription drive to begin Thursday morning and last until New Year's day.

Nine teams, each headed by a JACL board member, have been assigned definite territories and will make a barrack to barrack canvass.

Dues have been set at fifty cents a year, one half to go to the national office and the other half to be used to defray the expenses of the drive and the maintenance of the JACL office at 42-3-C.

UNCLE SAM PAYS FUNERAL COSTS

Official publication of community funeral procedure was released today by the community service division.

Expenses for embalment, casket, one funeral service, and cremation, if the family so desires, will be paid by the government. Additional expenses, such as flowers and wake services, will be met by the family and paid to Mrs. Plenz, funeral director of Casa Grande.

Burial of the deceased will be made in the community cemetery, midway between Butte and Canal.

Class Rooms

Beginning tonight, the adult class in bacteriology and Public Health will meet in the Butte hospital.

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VEGETABLES PREPONDERANT IN WARTIME FOOD RATION

Keeping abreast with the wartime food rationing program, Gilians are living on a preponderantly vegetable diet as is evidenced in an official food statistics of Rivers communities released by the Supply and Mess Division. Canal receives 38% of the total incoming lot of food, while Butte, Caucasian mess hall included, receives 62% of the same. In the following, Canal receives 38% of each item, unless designated otherwise; while Butte receives the said amount.

This division by percentage is according to the population of each community.

Carrots-80 sacks or 4,000 lbs. a week; green onions-2,000 lbs. a week; spinach-3,000 lbs. a week; lettuce-3,500 lbs. a week; cabbage-5,000 lbs. a week; swiss chard-1,000 lbs. a week; milk (daily)-between 375-425 gallons; mackerel-1,725 every 1 1/2 weeks;

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August Clothes Allowance Soon

"Distribution of August clothing allowances for Butte will commence this week," stated R.J. Slawson, senior administrative officer.

About 15% of Butte residents will be affected inasmuch as only Canal transfers will receive the allowances.

The main office of the clothing department will be relocated from 42-1-A to room 20 of the administration building.

Canal Christian Choir practice, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

Colony Over-Run by Yamamotos

By Chizuko Yamamoto

In a recent issue of the Heart Mountain Sentinel, it was revealed that the Yamamotos and Inouyes were the Smiths and Jones of their center. Looking over the Rivers community's directory, it seems that the Yamamotos have done it again, outnumbering all others with a total of 237 individuals from 66 families. "Runner-ups" were the Matsumotos and Tanakas, with 140 from 78 families, 177 from 56 families respectively. Others were Nakamura, Inouye, Ikeda and Suzuki.

Li and So were the shortest, while Kan, Mii, Saldana and Xicontencatl were most unusual. What a collection of monickers!

MOTHER PASSES AWAY IN TEXAS

C. B. Sprinkles, assistant of the Maintenance and Construction Dept. and D. L. Sewell returned from Abilene, Texas last Friday. They attended Sprinkle's mother's funeral.